

SENATE BILL 2869

By Southerland

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4,  
Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 62, Chapter 18,  
relative to soil scientists.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-29-232(a), is amended by deleting subdivision (38) in its entirety.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 62, Chapter 18, is amended by deleting part 2 in its entirety.

SECTION 3. Notwithstanding § 4-29-112, or any other law to the contrary, the soil scientist advisory committee shall terminate and shall cease all activities upon the effective date of this act.

SECTION 4. Applicants whose licenses expire after the effective date of this act may file a claim with the commissioner for a pro-rata share of the fee for such license. The commissioner is empowered to refund to an applicant, based upon the time such license was issued, a pro-rata share of the licensure fee paid by such applicant. The commissioner shall have sole authority to issue any refund for a license pursuant to this act. The costs of handling claims for refunds pursuant to this act shall be deducted from any refunds issued.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect July 1, 2012, the public welfare requiring it.